GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:135
ANSWERED ON:07.03.2008
SLUM POPULATION
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Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has conducted any survey regarding the slum population in the cities in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether the Government has introduced any scheme for the upliftment of slum population;

(d) if so, the details thereof;

(e) the cities included in the above scheme,State-wise specifically in Andhra Pradesh; and

(f) the progress achieved so for in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING & URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION(KUMARI SELJA)

(a)to(f): A Statement is laid on the Table of the Sabha.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. 135 FOR 07-03-2008 REGARDING SLUM POPULATION.

(a)&(b): The Census of India, 2001 conducted enumeration of slum population in 640 cities and towns with population of 50,000 or more.Subsequently, at the request of the Ministry of Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation, the Registrar General of India has conducted enumeration of slum population in 1,103 towns with population between 20,000 and 50,000, which reveals that the slum population in the 1,743 cities and towns where enumeration took place was 52.4 million.For these 1,743 cities and towns, the percentage of slum population works out to 23.5 per cent of the total city/town population.The details of findings from slum census are enclosed at Annexure `A`.
(c)&(d): The Government has launched the Jawaharlal Nehru National Urban Renewal Mission (JNNURM) on December 3, 2005 to address the issues of provision of housing and basic amenities to slum dwellers/urban poor, in addition to city-wide infrastructure facilities.The Basic Services to the Urban Poor (BSUP) component under JNNURM caters to housing and basic amenities in 63 identified cities of national importance.Similar problems in other cities/towns are addressed through the Integrated Housing and Slum Development Programme (IHSDP).The Mission will be implemented over a period of seven years starting from 2005-06.
(e)&(f): The list of cities included under Basic Services to Urban Poor (BSUP), which include Hyderabad, Visakhapatnam and Vijayawada i n Andhra Pradesh is enclosed as Annexure `B`.As regards IHSDP, it is upto the State Government to identify the cities/towns to be covered.The progress of BSUP and IHSDP so far is shown at Annexures `C` & `D`, respectively.

ANNEXURE-A CENSUS OF INDIA - 2001 - SLUM POPULATION FIGURES AT A GLANCE

Item	Slum population# of 640 cities/ towns (covered at the present census vol. I)	1103 towns (covered in 2001 survey-vol.I slum I)	1743cities/ towns (combine population of 640 + 1103 towns)
Population			

Persons	42,578,150	9,793,439	52,371,589
Males	22,697,218	5,062,006	27,759,224
Females	19,880,932	4,731,433	24,612,365
Population(0-6 age group)			
Persons	6,070,951	1,505,905	7,576,856
Males	3,162,966	781,139	3,944,105
Females	2,907,985	724,766	3,632,751
Scheduled Castes Population			
Absolute	7,402,373	2,271,444	9,673,817
Percentage	17.4	23.2	18.5
Scheduled Tribes Population			
Absolute	1,017,408	442,882	1,460,290
Percentage	2.4	4.5	2.8
Sex Ratio	876	935	887
Sex Ratio (0-6 age group)	919	928	921
Literacy rate			
Persons	73.1	68.2	72.2
Males	80.7	77.5	80.1
Females	64.4	58.2	63.2
Work Participation rate			
Persons	32.9	33.6	31.1
Males	51.3	49.7	51.1
Females	11.9	16.4	12.8
Percentage of Workers			
Main workers	90.1	85.5	89.3
Marginal Workers	9.9	14.5	10.7
Categories of Workers			
Cultivators	0.9	5.6	1.8
Agricultural Labourers	2.9	16.1	5.4
Household Industry Workers	5.1	6.7	5.4
Other Workers	91.1	71.6	87.4

#Slum population pertains to 26 States & UTs where slum population has been reported in 2001

ANNEXURE-B

STATE-WISE LIST OF IDENTIFIED CITIES/URBAN AGGLOMERATIONS (UAs) UNDER SUB-MISSION ON BASIC SERVICES TO THE URBAN POOR (BSUP)

Andhra Pradesh	Karnataka
1. Hyderabad	22. Bangalore
2. Visakhapatnam	23. Mysore
3. Vijayawada	

Arunachal Pradesh
4. Itanagar

Assam

5. Guwahati

Bihar
6. Patna
7. Bodh Gaya

Chhattisgarh
8. Raipur

Delhi
9. Delhi

Goa

10. Panaji

Gujarat

11. Ahmedabad
12. Vadodara
13. Surat
14. Rajkot

Haryana

15. Faridabad

Himachal Pradesh

16. Shimla

Jammu & Kashmir
17. Jammu
18. Srinagar

Jharkhand

19. Jamshedpur
20. Dhanbad
21. Ranchi

Kerala
24. Cochin
25. Thiruvananthapuram

Madhya Pradesh
26. Bhopal
27. Jabalpur
28. Indore
29. Ujjain

Maharashtra
30. Greater Mumbai
31. Nashik
32. Pune
33. Nagpur
34. Nanded

Meghalaya
35. Shillong

Manipur
36. Imphal

Mizoram
37. Aizawal

Nagaland
38. Kohima

Orissa
39. Bhubaneswar
40. Puri

Pondicherry
41. Pondicherry

Punjab
42. Ludhiana
43. Amritsar

Rajasthan
44. Jaipur
45. Ajmer-Pushkar

Tamil Nadu
46. Chennai
47. Madurai
48. Coimbatore

Tripura
49. Agartala

Uttar Pradesh
50. Lucknow
51. Varanasi
52. Agra
53. Kanpur
54. Meerut
55. Allahabad
56. Mathura

Uttaranchal
57. Dehradun
58. Nainital
59. Haridwar

West Bengal
60. Kolkata
61. Asansol

Sikkim
62. Gangtok

Chandigarh
63. Chandigarh

ANNEXURE-C
Progress of BSUP as on 1.3.2008 All India

No. of Cities/Towns Covered - 58

No. of Projects Approved - 251

Dwelling Units Approved - 7,60,817

Total Project Cost Approved - Rs.16,708,32 Crore

Central Share Commitment - Rs.8,383.82 Crore

Central Share Released - Rs. 1,768.59 Crore

Andhra Pradesh

No. of Cities/Towns Covered - 3

No. of Projects Approved - 19

Dwelling Units Approved - 93,995

Total Project Cost Approved - Rs.1,707.78 Crore

Central Share Commitment - Rs. 846.92 Crore

Central Share Released - Rs. 195.72 Crore

ANNEXURE-D
Progress of IHSDP as on 1.3.2008
All India
No. of Cities/Towns Covered - 367

No. of Projects Approved - 391

Dwelling Units Approved - 2,44,510

Total Project Cost Approved - Rs.3,708.67 Crore

Central Share Commitment - Rs.2,691.95 Crore

Central Share Released - Rs.1.128.38 Crore

Andhra Pradesh
No. of Cities/Towns Covered - 47

No. of Projects Approved - 57

Dwelling Units Approved - 29,257

Total Project Cost Approved - Rs.687.26 Crore

Central Share Commitment - Rs.511.12 Crore

Central Share Released - Rs.255.56 Crore